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## TIMELY TOPICS

Wise, Super-Wise and Otherwise

### American Red Cross.

Washington's birthday was celebrated in Halifax, N. S., on the 22nd of this month for the first time in the history of the city. The celebration was the natural sequence and result of the disaster which overwhelmed the city on December 6, 1917, and which brought the American Red Cross and other American agencies for relief quickly on the scene, giving the people a new insight into the American people and the American character and producing a widespread feeling of kinship.

The celebration was held in the School for the Blind which the American Red Cross has helped in establishing. One of the local papers, describing the celebration, says: "A distinguished company gathered at the School for the Blind this morning in celebration of the birthday of George Washington. Among those present were: Lieutenant-Governor Grant and Mrs. Grant, Sir Frederick Fraser, American Consul General Young, Captain Hines, U.S.N., and other American officers, G. S. Campbell, Hon. O. T. Daniels, F. H. Sexton, Dr. A. H. Mackay, W. A. Black, Hon. M. H. Goudge and Mrs. William Dennis.

The band of the 66th Regiment played a selection of American airs, while pupils of the school contributed to the program with organ, mandolin and vocal music. The choir of the school, in honor of Washington's Birthday, sang "My Country 'tis of Thee."

"We have asked you here this morning," said Sir Frederick Fraser, the chairman, "to celebrate the birthday of one of the greatest men the world has ever known, but we desire not only to honor the man but the country he represents. France had its Napoleon, England its Wellington, but none were greater than George Washington of the United States. What greater example can the young men of any nation want than that which Washington set? The American nation is a splendid ally to have fighting by our side in France. Notwithstanding the years that are past, the boys in blue will show that they have some British blood in them, for they are fighting for the freedom of mankind. We want also to recognize the greatest ally we have had in Halifax during the days following the terrible disaster. We recognize the American Red Cross. Two American officials were sent from the States to help in the work among the blind and we also honor the co-operation of the Victoria Order of Nurses. Upon the staff of the school are several Americans who act as instructors. We recognize we cannot do much to honor the memory of the man who has been honored ever since he was born, but we can honor the American nation which helped so much during the time of need in the cause of humanity."

### Third Liberty Loan

The first shot in the third Liberty Loan campaign has been fired by the Liberty Loan Committee of New England in the form of an address to be read at each town meeting. In distinctive Colonial language and dress this memorial reads:

Citizens of New England:—Assembled in town meeting for ordering and preservation of your affairs in common, you have met not only to gratify that you are enjoying the wisest form of self-government ever devised by men. No one should be allowed to take from you this precious heritage.

Viewing a nation great in territory, but weak in the co-ordinated forces of democracy, being made the prey of a conscienceless military autocracy; and small nations either obliterated or forced stubbornly to hold to a fringe of their rightful territory, their national and racial lives all but snuffed out by that same merciless autocracy,—we should be seriously happy that we still possess our country and our rights.

If we honor our forefathers for having founded this free country, it will be ignoble in us not to suffer equal sacrifices in maintaining it. These priceless possessions of a free people are in great danger.

A war-loving and highly developed fighting combination is not only threatening to dominate Europe, but, drunk with bestiality which has followed military successes, threatens our free and peaceful development as well. It means to us that our form of free government which has been the hope of liberty-loving people of all nations, is in danger of being destroyed by the Central Powers of Europe to prevent small nations from being dispossessed of their lands, their property, and their self-governing powers. But we are at war for a much more worthy reason than that, greater as that is. We are at war to preserve our national existence, to keep self-government alive, to protect our families, our homes, and our industries.

If we win this war, we win it for ourselves as well as for all those nations now so sorely pressed. If we lose this war, we let the whole world slip back into the feudalism of the middle ages.

To the prosecution of this righteous war we have dedicated our fortunes, our lives, and our sacred honor. To the last man, and to the last dollar, we are pledged to our Allies.

to draw upon our resources. The strain upon our communities is altering our lives and habits. We are adapting ourselves to greater economies and we are speeding up our productivity.

But we are not afraid. The third Liberty Loan will soon be offered to the people of the United States. Each citizen here assembled is invited to consider the seriousness of the grim business in which we are engaged and, jealous as we know him to be of his rights as a self-governing freeman, is earnestly urged to do all in his power to have the Loan subscribed in full promptly upon its announcement.

Well may you now, in town meeting assembled, covet the act of the first town meeting held in New England, at Plymouth, November 11, 1620, and in the presence of God and one another, covenant and combine yourselves together for your better ordering and preservation, by agreeing that the portion of the third Liberty Loan allotted to your town shall be instantly over-subscribed.

### AGRICULTURE IN UNITED STATES 1,800,000 WOMEN ARE ENGAGED IN

According to a late report, of the 118,000,000 women engaged in agriculture in the United States, 750,000 are under 20 years of age and 1,050,000 are negroes. A majority of the women workers are found in the Southern States.

The lines of work in which women are likely to increase their farming activities, according to the report, are vegetable gardening, poultry raising, butter making, hog raising, etc. It is suggested that women who know how to operate motor cars may with little additional training operate tractors.

United States Civil Service Commission Washington, D. C. January 25, 1918.

The Editor. Madam:—The Commission desires to express its appreciation of the assistance it is receiving from your paper and from newspapers generally in the work of recruiting the civil service under war conditions.

Efficient civil service is vitally necessary to the successful prosecution of the war. The demand for labor of all kinds throughout the country is so great that the task incumbent upon the civil service is a most difficult one. It is suggested that women who know how to operate motor cars may with little additional training operate tractors.

In thus aiding to maintain the efficiency of the great civilian army, publishers are rendering a service to the people of the highest value.

By direction of the Commission. Very respectfully, JOHN A. McILHENNY, President.

S. A. S. A. P. It has been said that the large debt of the Hull Branch S. A. S. A. P. has been wiped out by the efforts of the ladies and their friends. They, however, have not relaxed their vigilance but have continued right along getting up benefits to create a fund for future work. It is hoped that a generous fund will be placed in the treasury for future needs. The S. A. S. A. P. is doing a splendid work. Help it.

EARN INCOME OF \$100 The wood lot on the county farm has amounted to something in the way of a month when fuel was none too plentiful. Sheriff Henry S. Porter has had a gang of from 12 to 15 men getting out cord-wood since the opening of the month. They cut in that time an even 40 cords, which has all been sold at \$11 a cord, making a gross income of \$1100 for the wood besides getting the land cleared for future cultivation.

### HOOVER'S ASSISTANT

E. Frederick Cullen was recognized as one of Boston's brightest young business men. He was general manager of the big Boston branch of one of the biggest health food concerns in the world.

Now he is working for a dollar a year. But he's doing it for the government. He's one of Mr. Hoover's most valued assistants. His knowledge of the food game, his energy and ability have taken him right up into the front ranks of the Hoover demonstrators. He's out in the West now, preaching conservation, and known as one of the best of the big bands of conservers. He is working for the government. His particular job is traveling throughout the great southwest, with an investigating committee that has just returned from the war front. His practical knowledge and their experiences form the combination that the government most needs.

Mr. Cullen is vice-president of the Pilgrim Publicity Association, and was one of the most active and productive workers on Boston's two great Liberty Loan drives. The success that marked his business career in Boston has followed him in his Federal travels through the West. It is said of him that he had distributed more "have food" cards and done more for real conservation than

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

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any other emissary of the government. Mr. Cullen is well remembered in Hull, where he has been a summer resident at Pemberton for several years. Mrs. Cullen, who died last year, as well as Mr. Cullen had many warm friends at Hull.

### HULL TOWN MEETING

The Hull town meeting of 1918 will pass down the annals of time as one of the most exciting in the history of the town. In local circles it will surpass in interest "The Big Wind" or any other event of the past or present. There was one thing especially noticeable about it, that although men talked and voted with intense feeling there was no outburst of anger and no mud-slinging. That is a source of great satisfaction to those of us who looked on from the outside and who believe that a frank and free discussion of all matters is best.

The new association formed at the beginning of the Mitchell-Galliano campaign in support of Mitchell's candidacy, which has called itself the Good Government Association, and the Citizens' Club were the opposing associations in one of the hottest contests ever waged in the little seashore hamlet. And the end is not yet. Only about 20 of the 53 articles in the town narrow budget will be taken up at a meeting to be held on Saturday, March 9.

Of special interest, aside from party politics, was the discussion of the adoption of the Australian ballot, some of the men on each side being in favor of its adoption. Article one of the article was adopted only to find that it was an obsolete form and therefore, in the estimation of many, illegal. It looks now as if a special meeting to settle the question would have to be called.

John L. Mitchell and Captain Joseph T. Galliano in race for selectman made life in Hull for the past few weeks anything but monotonous and brought out all the voters and many of the summer residents who are voters here. Captain Galliano won, but by only 31 votes, and it is claimed by the Good Government Association that in a way it was a victory because it demonstrated that they were backing a strong man. Having to work against a strongly entrenched and old Citizens' Association and a candidate backed by such, the new organization feels that it did well.

The Citizens' Association is not saying very much, but is evidently feeling good over the triumph of its candidate, while on the other hand the Good Government Association is also feeling good over the demonstrated strength of its candidate and platform.

### LETTER FROM SOLDIER

45th Inf. Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky.

Feb. 25th, 1918.

Ladies of the Social Center: Your package arrived here safely yesterday and I wish to thank you very much for it. The articles will all come in handy to me. It was a great surprise to receive them as I thought I had been away from Nantasket so long as to be a stranger. Again I thank you.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. F. Gent,

1st Lieut. 45th Inf.

### DAMON SCHOOL P. T. A.

The regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, Mar. 12th at 8.30 o'clock. The school part of the program will be furnished entirely by the boys who can do their part as well as the girls, but all come and prove it for themselves and help to make a successful meeting. The S. A. S. A. P. cordially invite you to come early and help in their work.

### READY RETORT

A lady who saw Editorette Sirovich in the Mitchell parade on Saturday night said, "I'm sorry for you, I am afraid you are following the wrong man." The reply was then, (and this happened before town meeting) "I am following no man, I am following the news." I am not a voter (for which fact I am sorry. It is my misfortune not my fault) therefore I do not see the necessity of getting all stewed up over what I can do nothing about.

### HULL BRANCH S. A. S. A. P.

The monthly meeting of the executive board was held on Tuesday, Mar. 5th and was a very encouraging meeting. The secretary's report showed that the average working force at each meeting had been 41. Twenty new members had been added during the month making a total of 113. Nine boys had been fitted out complete. The finished work consisted of 79 articles of sewing and 67 knit articles. Two hundred dollars and ten cents was raised during the month and the treasurer's report showed that we had cleaned up a deficiency of \$250.00 during the month besides running expenses and were free from debt although our treasury was empty. However, the ladies are all working and we feel sure the money will soon be coming in to replenish.

MRS. JOHN E. CAMPBELL,  
Chairman.

### "English as She Is Spoke."

The wife of a workman in the Midlands (England) was describing a quarrel between two other women, and her final comment was as follows: "If 'er'd said to 'er what 'er said to 'er 'er'd 'ave killed 'er or 'er 'er!"

### Many Humming Birds.

Seventeen species of humming birds are summer visitors in the United States. These winter from southern Florida to Central America. Thousands of humming bird skins are exported annually from Brazil, Venezuela and Guiana to be used in the making of ornaments.

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Sincerely yours,

JOHN L. MITCHELL.

## TOWN OF COHASSET

### SELECTMEN'S OFFICE

## NOTICE

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 370, Acts of 1904, and Amendments thereto, including Chapter 162, General Acts of 1915.

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HARRY E. MAPES,  
HERBERT L. BROWN,  
DARIUS W. GILBERT,  
Board of Selectmen, Cohasset,  
Cohasset, March 1, 1918.

### NOTICE OF HINGHAM WATER COMPANY

Hull has suffered its share of inconvenience on account of the extreme cold weather of the last month, as evidenced by the great number of water pipes that have been frozen, and a very considerable amount of water has been wasted to prevent this trouble. While the water company has realized the necessity of this, it feels that the danger of further freezing is past, and requests water takers to refrain from further wasting the water on this account.

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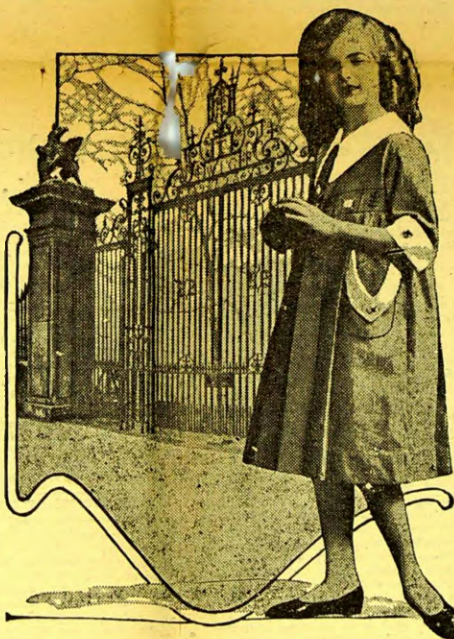
The finest spring blouses look simple enough, but examination shows them to be smart, because there is considerable hand-sewing on them—the more the smarter, and also the more expensive. Their main point of interest, so far as novelty is concerned, lies in the collars, or in the management of occasional collarless neck openings. White French voile, fine white batiste, with organdie collars, cuffs or frills, and georgette continue the means to the end of utmost elegance and daintiness in blouses.

Collars and cuffs, or frills of organdie are added to blouses of fine voile to give them crispness. Occasionally light colors in collars of organdie are used on white blouses; a Saxe blue appears to be the favorite choice of designers, and it is generally becoming

ing to either blonde or brunette. Fine, hand-run tucks, narrow fllet edgings and hand-drawn work are the hallmarks of elegance in washable blouses. It is comforting to know that they are the things which women can do for themselves, since they are the main item of expense in ready-made waists.

A collarless blouse of georgette is shown in the picture, with the round neck finished with a soft fold of the material. It is plaited in at the shoulder seams and has long sleeves finished with a turned-back fold. Embroidery in two colors on the front and along the back of the sleeve redeems it from being entirely plain. The embroidery silk chosen in the color of the blouse and in a darker contrasting color is characteristic of the season.

## Cotton Clothes for Little Folks



Show windows have been filled with cotton clothes for little girls that are about as refreshing and pleasing to look at as a spring garden. They start out with the advantage of lovely colors and carry on with the simple lines that belong to little girlhood. The dresses are beautifully designed and the designs carried out with appropriate and exquisite finishing touches, in accessories and in purely decorative details.

There are wonderfully fine tones of yellow, which appear to be favorites, and the usual good assortment of blues, light green, rose and buff.

Designers like to use white with all these colors in collars, cuffs, pockets and in yokes and set-in pieces. Dotted swiss, set in in short panels, and white pings are among the new developments in decorations. When yellow, rose and pink are used with white, needle-work in simple stitches and figures, and French knots are done

in black and white. With blue and green dresses touched with white in narrow cluny edgings or pings, gay colors are used, like rose and green, in prim little flower forms. Dutch blue and the copenhagen and deift shades look well with narrow edgings of cluny lace and embellishment of pearl buttons.

A dress made in a yellow shade somewhat deeper than maize is shown in the picture. It is of plain gingham, and no one can hope to improve upon its style for a little miss anywhere from four or five to eleven years old. The skirt is set on to the yoke with four plaits at the back and front, the collar, cuffs and pocket all of white kindergarten cloth, or other substantial weaves and the embroidery is in white and black cotton.

*Julie Bottomley*

### Satin Hats.

Satin hats have appeared here and there. A soothsayer might almost venture the remark that they will be extremely good for spring wear. And these satin hats are simply and only satin hats. They have satin trimming, if there is any trimming at all. They are all one color. Lines, lines, lines—that is the tune of their lay.

### Capes Will Be Worn.

Capes are to have run of popularity during the coming spring and summer seasons. Some are cut on military lines, but inasmuch as the military note has been sounded by designers of every type and class of apparel for women during the past nine months, the best dressed women are not going in very seriously for the military garment this spring.

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The Guild of St. Elizabeth held its regular meeting on Monday evening at St. Elizabeth's Hall, Kennerly, with a goodly number in attendance. An inventory of all completed work was made and several articles finished. Mrs. John Morton, secretary, read an interesting report of last meeting and further plans of the Guild. Mrs. Morton told about the advertising campaign for the sale of government securities that has been organized and the Guild voted to do patriotic work by advertising the War Savings Stamps. This society is the first in town to "go over the top" in helping the government sell War Savings Stamps. It was reported that the sales of these stamps at the Hull Village and Allerton post offices were not as many as should be. At Nantasket they are selling fairly well. The Guild is to be congratulated upon its prompt action. Tea and cake were served by the hospitality committee, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Gillis, Mrs. Glawson. As is usual, Mrs. Shaw and Miss Anne Canary indulged in a verbal warfare that enlivened every one and showed the skill of each at repartee. At a preceding meeting the ladies of the Guild presented Mr. Thomas Donohue, the popular driver of the taxi, with a helmet.

Little Francis Keenan, who was recently sent to St. Elizabeth's Hospital suffering from a broken arm, which did not heal, was reported by Mrs. N. J. Guay as getting on very well. It is the opinion of the doctors that he will have a pretty good arm out of it. Everyone is glad and grateful to Rev. Andrew J. O'Brien who sent the boy to the hospital.

Private Ernest Fairbanks was home for town meeting.

Mrs. M. J. Burns furnished wood and built the fire at St. Elizabeth's hall so that the Guild of St. Elizabeth could hold meeting there. Mrs. Larry Coffey presented two hypodermic needles to the Guild and the Guild in turn presented them to Dr. Sturgis for use at the Fort Revere Hospital.

The Guild of St. Elizabeth will hold a baked bean supper at St. Elizabeth's Hall, Kennerly, on Saturday evening, March 9th from 5 to 7:30 o'clock p. m. The tickets are on sale. A good time and good food is assured. Come early and avoid the rush.

The N. B. H. Whist Club met with Mrs. Charles Smith on Monday evening. The first prize, a Dresden silk sewing bag was won by Mrs. James Joyce and the second, a bud vase by Mrs. Larry Coffey. Salad, rolls and coffee were daintily served.

We are extremely sorry to state that Lieut. (Dr.) John Sweeney has returned home very ill from Camp Greenleaf, Fort Oglethorpe, where he was stationed. Lieut. Sweeney has been honorably discharged from the army. Within the time of his service he won two ribbons toward promotion and was working very hard. When he returns his health he can go back into service with a good record for efficiency. He kept upon his feet until he dropped down unconscious. His many friends extend to him and to his parents sincere sympathy. Lieut. Sweeney was very ambitious and this illness was very interfering with his plans and hopes is a bitter disappointment to them all.

The N. B. H. Whist Club gave a public whist at the Hose House on Wednesday evening, March 6th in aid of Battery B. Fort Andrews. The capital prize was a ticket book, East Veymouth to Boston, and there were six other prizes, all beautiful. A fuller account will be given next week.

Mr. Martin Towle of Kennerly was down for town meeting on Monday. Mr. Murray has offered the use of his dining room to the Guild of St. Elizabeth for any event that they wish to conduct to make money for the Guild.

Mrs. Dearnie L. Wade will make her annual trip to New York about the middle of March.

The Pope Memorial Church Sunday School are now getting ready for an Easter concert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fairbanks and children have moved to Hingham where Mr. Fairbanks is employed at Humphrey Bros. They are much missed by their many friends here.

On Saturday afternoon, February twenty-three, Paul David Wade was host at his sixth birthday party. Each little guest as they arrived deposited a gift on the table which later proved a source of entertainment for the children present.

At 4:30 the children formed in couples and to the music of David's graphophone, marched to the dining room, led by the host escorting Miss Gertrude Grace, followed by Master Eugene and Miss Ethel Purdy, Master Carson and Miss Elsie Dickford, Miss Helen Cabot and Miss Virginia Lock.

The good things, including the birthday cake with its six candles burning brightly made and presented by Mrs. K. E. Dickford, and plenty of ice cream, was soon disposed of, and at 5:30 the children were conveyed to their homes, tired but happy, leaving a very happy little fellow looking forward to his seventh birthday.

Does Not Affect Clarity. The desire of power in excess caused the angels to fall; the desire of knowledge in excess caused man to fall; but in charity there is no excess, neither can angel or man come in danger by it.—Bacon.

## HULLONIANS' HAPPY HOURS

An address to the citizens of New England from the Liberty Loan Committee of New England, John K. Allen, Pres., was read at the annual Town Meeting. It was an effective way of bringing the Third Liberty Loan officially before the citizens of the town. The pamphlet was patriotically gotten up with red, white and blue in the binding.

Miss Kathleen Farrell has a very nice position with a large insurance firm in Boston on Kilby street, which she is filling very acceptably.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bryant engaged Mr. Frank D. Comerford and mother recently over Sunday. Mr. Comerford is one of Boston's promising young lawyers. Mr. Comerford and mother have spent their summers at Allerton and are enthusiastic about the place as a summer resort.

N. M. Sirovich and E. Groves attended town meeting.

"At a public meeting held in the Town Hall Thursday evening, February twenty-eight the boys of the Hospital Corps of Fort Revere, were warmly applauded at their performance in a black face sketch were Sgt. Kohza, musical director; Bill Doyle, interlocutor; Patsy Crombie and, Neddon, end men; Al Spearman, Fred Doyle, Ben James and C. O'Donnell, chorists."

Priv. and Mrs. Harmon visited the latter's parents at Allerton last week. Capt. Daniel Souther has returned to Hull after a pleasant winter spent with his daughter, Miss Peter Peterson at her home in Portland, Maine. He is glad to welcome our old friend Daniel back to our midst.

The Brookton Enterprise recently had in an article entitled "Ten Pigs—Ten of Pork." It is said that the "Hull Porkers" averaged up better than that.

Dr. Harry Cleverly of Boston and Scituate was in town on Saturday night to attend the rally of his brother John L. Mitchell.

Frank A. Ryan, who has been acting as Major at Fort Revere in the past, has been stationed at Springfield, Mass. All his friends in Hull were most pleased to hear of his advancement, and wish him the best of luck. Lieut. Ryan was home on furlough for the week-end and also to see his new son, born while he was in Washington, D. C. He was more than proud of the new arrival. His little family from whom he had been separated for over seven months gave him a hearty welcome on his arrival.

Of course, Town Meeting took the lead as a topic of talk and will continue to do so for some time. The never had such a large meeting.

Mr. C. E. West post cards from Oak Hill down in Florida it is 85 with the orange trees in bloom. Some interesting papers sent by Mr. West were received and they "shure do blow their fans." The Southern newspapers are up to date and that means that the business men of the place know the value of printers ink.

Every society, individual, church in town should take part in advertising in the campaign started for the sale of government securities. It is a patriotic service asked by the government. Every business man should advertise. AD will be given opportunity.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hastings entertained over Sunday their friend, Mr. Fred Johnson of the Brattle Press, Cambridge.

Captain Edward E. Murphy has been transferred to service at Fort Revere. All Capt. Murphy's friends, and they are legion, are delighted to think he is stationed at the fort in his home town.

Mass is celebrated at St. Mary's of the Bay church every Sunday with a large congregation in attendance. Many of the soldier boys are regular attendants and appreciate having such an opportunity. It is said that war has intensified the religious feeling of our boys.

Mr. Robert Bryant and Mrs. John Hastings will give a whist and dance at Armstrong Hall, Kennerly, Friday, March 15th to raise funds for the Hull Branch S. A. S. P. Whist will begin at 7:45. Mr. Fred Johnson of the Brattle Press, Cambridge, contributed the tickets and score cards which fact is much appreciated.

Miss Helen Antone who attends an art school in Boston received high honors in a recent test.

Mrs. Carrie E. Mitchell was re-elected to the School Board at the town meeting.

Rev. Frank Kingston has been appointed as a member of the trustees of the Hull Village Library in the place so long and faithfully filled by Mrs. E. G. Knight. Mrs. Knight has moved away to East Jaffray, N. H.

The Epworth League held a business meeting on Monday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Frank Kingston.

The Ladies' Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Carrie E. Mitchell last week, and this week with Mrs. Anderson Farnsworth. The Ladies' Aid is one of the oldest organizations in town and keeps on the even tenor of its way quietly doing good.

To see the hay at present one would never think that less than two weeks ago Walter Sturgis, Mrs. Sturgis and Emma with friends were out on the hay boat boating.

Recently through the skilled auctioning of Ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald of Boston and Hull, a wrist watch which originally cost \$500, \$324.50 at a war benefit sale at the Fort at Pointe-au-Loup, Maine. With Ex-Mayor John was our adv. agent.

Randolph has a town service flag on his town hall, the patriotic gift of with 12 stars upon it, hanging from Mrs. Henry A. Belcher. There is a suggestion for some patriotic person at society in our town.

By the way, don't we need a Town Hall in the center of the town right on the main street, Nantasket Avenue?

All the towns hereabout are organizing a branch of the State Guard Company. Why is Hull behind?

Mr. Stephen Mitchell, a former Hull resident has been re-elected to the School Board of Milton by a good majority.

Officer Eugene Mitchell, Sr., was able to be out to attend the March meeting.

### HULL ITEM

If some Hull women were as interested in the boys in the trenches as they were in the election on Monday last it would be more to their credit. (Signed) A SOLDIER'S FRIEND.

### DEAD AT HULL

Mrs. Mary Johnson of Sidney, N. S., was buried on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her niece, Mrs. Charles W. Knight. Rev. J. A. Wright of Rumney, N. H., officiated at the funeral. Mrs. Johnson was the wife of a fruit harvester, was the officiating organist in the United States since her husband's death. She has been with Mr. and Mrs. Knight for the past few months, during which time she was ill and gradually failing. Her exact age is not known, but she was nearly eighty years old. Mrs. Johnson has been a very energetic and capable woman. Mr. George Downing had charge of the funeral arrangements. Interment was at Hull.

## SCITUATE'S SNAPPY SHOTS

One of Scituate's boys has been injured in France, being one of the first of Pershing's overseas force to reach the Fort McHenry General Hospital from France. Private Frederick Jackson received a shrapnel wound in the right leg during an air raid by the Germans. Private Jackson of the 101st Mass. Regiment, formerly Co. K of the 5th Mass. Regiment, the Hingham company until it was merged with the 9th Mass. Regiment. Private Jackson is about 25 years old and made his home with his widowed mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson at Scituate Center. They have the sincere sympathy of all.

The death of Alfred A. Seaverns, commander of George W. Perry Post No. 31, G. A. R., given and recently at Scituate Harbor, removes from our midst one of our grand old men. He was 78 years of age and has lived in the town practically all his life. The only time he has been absent from the town was during his term of service.

The death at her home in North Scituate of Charlotte, wife of J. Martin Reed, was 71 years of age. The funeral occurred at her late residence on Thursday at 2:00 o'clock.

Sculptor's Masterpiece.

The famous statue of St. Bruno at Rome was made by the great master French sculptor, Hodon (1735-1822). At the invitation of Franklin Houdon the business man in the year 1785 and took casts for the statue of Washington, now at the Smithsonian, said by Lafayette to be the best likeness obtained of the "American Patriot." St. Bruno belonged to the order of Trappists, whose chief law was silence. Pope Clement XVI, on seeing the statue of St. Bruno, exclaimed: "He would speak did not the rule of his order forbid."

To Destroy Rats.

Here is a suggestion for a simple, inexpensive, sure mode of destruction for rodents: Take an ordinary cork from a bottle, slice it to the thickness of a dime, smear it with a piece of lard, fry it to a brown color and put a little salt on it. Then you have rat bait. A rat will chew and try to swallow it, but that is as far as he gets. The cork sticks in his throat and he cannot get it lower or out. He will run for water to wash it down. That's the important part. He dies outside the house.

The Swedish Almanac.

The Swedish name almanac differs from English almanacs in giving, besides the usual information, a Christian name for each sex for every day of the year, says London Graphic. The names set forth have to receive the approval of the king. The object aimed at is to secure a greater choice of names for parents and to avoid the endless repetition of a dozen or so names. A similar name almanac is issued under royal authority in one of the German states.

Valued Tablet.

A Babylonian tablet believed to have been written between 600 B. C. and 300 B. C., when translated at the University of Pennsylvania museum some time ago, proved to be one of the mislabeled parts of the epic of Gilgamesh, regarded as one of the oldest and noblest poems in the world and said to have been to the Babylonians what the Iliad was to the Greeks.

Woman at Her Best.

Nothing can be more touching than to behold a soft and tender female, who has been all weakness and dependence, and alive to every trivial roughness, while treading the prosopical path of life, suddenly rising in mental force to be the comforter and supporter of her husband in misfortune.—Washington Irving.

EVERYBODY TAKE NOTICE.

Will correspondents please notify that the office of the Puritan Linotype has been moved from Purchase St., Boston, to 65 Austin St., Cambridge, and that all news for our publication should be sent there. All papers in this syndicate are now printed at 65 Austin St., and as we are concerned the old office does not exist.

### How Times Have Changed.

Wardrobe Mistress (to baggage man) Yes! Times have changed, Bill. I remember when we had a dozen large trunks for the chorus girls' costumes; now we only need that one.—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

### Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Plymouth, as.

To, either of the Constables of the Town of Hull, in the County of Plymouth:

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hull qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Hull, on Monday, the fourth day of March next, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

Article 2. To hear the report of the Selectmen.

Article 3. To hear the report of the Overseers of the Poor.

Article 4. To hear the report of the School Committee.

Article 5. To hear the report of the Engineers of the Fire Department.

Article 6. To hear the report of the Town Treasurer.

Article 7. To hear the report of the Collector of Taxes.

Article 8. To hear the report of the Selectmen on Guide Boards.

Article 9. To hear the report of the Sinking Fund Commissioners.

Article 10. To hear the report of the Park Commissioners.

Article 11. To hear the report of the Meat and Cattle Inspector.

Article 12. To hear the report of the Board of Health.

Article 13. To hear the report of the Manager of the Electric Light Department.

Article 14. To hear the report of the Auditor.

Article 15. To choose all such officers as the laws of the state and by-laws of the town require.

Article 16. Will the Town accept the provisions of the Act of 1907, Chapter 560, Section 392, or act on anything relating thereto—said Act being as follows:

A town may at a meeting called for the purpose, vote that official ballots shall thereafter be used therein; and at a meeting so called and held at least thirty days before the annual town meeting, by a two-thirds vote recind such action in town elections at which official ballots are used, nominations for town officers elected by ballots shall be made, ballots and other apparatus thereof provided, at elections of such officers, conducted in accordance with the provisions of this act as far as applicable. If a town shall vote that official ballots shall be used at the election of town officers, it shall at the same meeting determine that officers in addition to those required to be so elected shall thereafter be so chosen, and determine number and terms of officers, if not already fixed. No change shall thereafter be made in the officers to be chosen by ballot or in the number or terms of officers thereof; except any meeting held at least thirty days before the annual meeting at which such change is to become operative.

Article 17. In what manner will the town collect its taxes the ensuing year?

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 19. What sum of money will the Town raise and appropriate for the repair of highways and townways the ensuing year?

Article 20. What sum of money will the Town raise and appropriate for oiling the streets the ensuing year?

Article 21. Will the Town cause a report of its financial affairs to be printed in the month of February next?

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate for the support of the Plymouth County Farm Bureau, Inc., the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75) and act thereon.

Article 23. What sum of money will the Town raise and appropriate for the support of the Poor, Schools, Fire Department and other necessary expenses the ensuing year?

Article 24. Will the Town raise and appropriate money to defray expense of decorating the graves of soldiers and sailors on Memorial Day?

Article 25. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of collecting garbage, ashes and waste material, in the Town of Hull, from the first day of May, 1918, to the first day of November, 1918, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 26. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the disposal of swill?

Article 27. What sum of money will the Town raise and appropriate to pay for the transportation of pupils attending the Hingham High School?

Article 28. What sum of money will the Town raise and appropriate to pay for the tuition of pupils attending the Hingham High School?

Article 29. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) to be used by the Hull Public Safety Committee for necessary expenses, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 30. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money in aid of the Nantasket Public Library, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 31. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of public parks in the town?

Article 32. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths?

Article 33. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of sewers?

Article 34. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the care of sidewalks?

Article 36. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the care of the cemetery?

Article 37. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay fire insurance premiums on municipal property and bonds of Town officers, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 38. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay council fees for extra services rendered, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 39. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of paying soldiers' relief, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 40. Will the Town raise the wages of its laborers, also the price paid for teams, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 41. What action will the Town take in regard to pensioning police officers?

Article 42. Will the Town accept the report of the Committee appointed March 6 1916, and the plans as prepared by Penn Varnes, Architect, for a new Police Headquarters and Fire Station on Atlantic Avenue, and raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay for anything relating thereto?

Article 43. Will the Town vote to compensate Joseph S. Hannigan for permanent injuries received while in the performance of his duties as fireman, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 44. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a combination police patrol and ambulance automobile, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 45. Will the Town accept the report of the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of building that portion of O Street starting at the westerly line of Nantasket Avenue, thence running in a westerly direction to its terminus at Bay Avenue, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 46. Will the Town accept the report of the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of building that portion of Edgewater Road starting at Fifth Street, thence running in a northwesterly direction to its terminus at the easterly end of Clifton Avenue, also Clifton Avenue starting at the westerly end of Edgewater Road, thence running in a northwesterly direction to its terminus at Sunset Point, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 47. Will the Town accept the report of the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of building that portion of Merrill Road, Sagamore Hill, starting at the westerly line of Island View Road, thence running in a westerly direction to its terminus at the easterly line of Bay Street, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 48. Will the Town accept the report of the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of building Fairmount Way,

Sagamore Hill, starting at the southerly end of said way, and Bay Street, thence running over said Sagamore Hill to its northerly terminus at Bay Street again, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 49. Will the Town accept the report of the Selectmen, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for purpose of building Bluff Road, Allerton Hill, starting at the easterly end of Standish Avenue, thence running in a southerly direction to its terminus at Beacon Road, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 50. Will the Town vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 264, General Acts of 1917, being "An Act to authorize cities and towns to pay to their employees who enlist in the service of the United States, the difference between their military and their municipal compensation?"

Article 51. Will the Town vote to purchase from L. Damon Sons Co. an addition to the present school lot of a parcel of land lying on the southerly side of Damon School on School Street, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 52. Will the Town authorize and instruct the school board to furnish automobile transportation for the school children and to advertise for bids to do the work, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 53. Will the Town accept and allow the report of the Selectmen upon the alteration of the lines of Nantasket Avenue and Spring Street at Stony Beach, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of making alterations in the lines of said ways, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 54. Will the Town adopt the by-laws prepared by the Selectmen, or other by-laws, or act on anything relating thereto?

Article 55. Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?

And you are directed to serve this warrant by causing an attested copy thereof to be posted in the usual places, Town Hall, Spring Street, and Police Headquarters, Atlantic Avenue, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doing thereon to the Town Clerk at the Time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hull, this eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

John Smith  
James Jeffrey  
Selectmen of Hull.

By virtue of the above warrant, I have this day notified the inhabitants of the Town of Hull, qualified to vote in elections, and town affairs, to meet at the time and place above mentioned and for the purposes as thereon directed in said warrant.

A true copy.  
Attest: Frank M. Reynolds  
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Services will be resumed next Sunday, March 10th at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. Holy Communion at 8 A. M. Preaching services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Unitarian and Congregational parishes will continue to hold their services together until Easter, alternately holding services at Unitarian and Congregational Churches. Morning service at 11 A. M.

Mr. Everett Wheelwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheelwright, was united in marriage to Miss Marion Holtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hiltz by Rev. Edward Lyman Eustis at his residence on Friday night, March 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Lot Bates are occupying their new home on Ripley Road, formerly the residence of Rev. P. B. McAllister.

Mrs. Charles Soule (nee Elsie Valine) has been visiting her parents recently. Mr. and Mrs. Soule have two little sons now who come to see their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Valine and grandchildren have been visiting recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sampson are coming to Cohasset to live in one half of Mrs. Butman's house on Summer street.

Another familiar face has passed from our sight this winter. Although not a native or residing in this town, Mr. Arthur Merritt of Norwell was a familiar figure for he was known as "the sawtiller" having for years come over to Cohasset where he filed saws and he had many friends and acquaintances here. Mr. Merritt was of kindly and social disposition and in going from town to town gathered up a fund of anecdotes and facts which made him an interesting conversationalist. But unfortunately for him he seemed to be born under an unlucky star. Possessed of weak nerves from which he had suffered for years, he met with loss and trouble which would have broken down many a man of stronger physique than he. He awoke one night about four years ago to find his home on fire and was obliged to flee with his invalid wife and her sister who kept house for them. Within the next two years both his wife's sister and his wife passed away leaving him alone for he had no children. He made his home with his brother in Norwell after the loss of his home in Greenbush where he died Feb. 26, at the comparatively early age of 57 years and 11 months. Funeral was from the residence of his brother, Harry S. Merritt, Norwell, on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 2 o'clock. Let us hope that in the "Beautiful Land of Somewhere" he will find the peace and happiness so much of which fate seemed to deny him here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Feb. 28th.

The Parent Teacher Association were addressed at their meeting last Monday by Miss Rutherford of Boston on the work of the Red Cross; how it originated its organization, development, etc. Miss Rutherford was an especially fine speaker, fluent and presented her subject in a most interesting manner.

The Boy Scouts under direction of their scoutmaster, Rev. Fred Stanley, gave an exhibition in bandaging and showed a piece of bread baked on a stick, by rolling the dough around it and cooking it over fire in the woods, shown by a Boy Scout on a "camp-out". It looked so appetizing that the C. C. remarked when it was passed to her, "that it wouldn't get far." Miss Jessie Bates sang "The Bells of Seville," "The Swallow's Flight" and "Snow Flakes".

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock for Elmer E. Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Hutchinson of Boston, at Mr. Sparrell's undertaking rooms on Elm street. It was an especially sad event, not only to his family who survive him but to the townspeople, because although a stranger, he was one of our boys in whom all feel the deepest and most sincere interest, for he was a sailor boy, belonging to the Navy and he yielded up his life in service for his country just as fully as if he had died on a battlefield. He was only 19 years the ninth of last December. He enlisted in his 17th year and served until Sept. 1917 in the U. S. Coast Guards. Then he joined the regular Navy and was stationed at Key West. In Jan. 1918 he was transferred to Newport, R. I., and about 10 days ago contracted mumps, and pneumonia developed which caused his death suddenly last Saturday night. He was laid to rest dressed in his naval uniform and the flag will be buried with him. Interment will be at Woodside cemetery. His father used to reside in this town when lived 12 years in La Gloria, Cuba, and is at present residing in Boston, being a machinist in the Ford Building Government Works in Cambridge. His son is the first who will be buried in Cohasset who has died in service since the U. S. entered the war and the community will extend to his sorrowing parents their most heartfelt sympathy, and he will not be left among strangers but will rest where his memory will be a great reminder for his life has been given for his country and for those who are a part of it and greater love hath no man than this, to lay down his life for another. He is survived by his father and step-mother, for his own mother is "over the river" and will be there to welcome her brave lad to eternal peace and joy, "where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest."

The annual parish meeting of the Congregational church was held last Tuesday evening.

A specimen ballot from the town meeting on Monday last shows that Mr.

Herbert L. Brown won in the race for selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor over Mr. Arthur Mulvey, by a large majority. Mr. Newcomb B. Tower defeated Paul Bates for collector of taxes. Mr. Tower's vote being 261, Mr. Bates, 251. Mr. Tower also was elected treasurer without opposition. Highway surveyor, George Jason, Jr., elected against David Southworth; constables elected, Frank J. Ambrose, Sidney L. Beal, Henry E. Bretnock, John T. Keating, Louis J. Morris; trustees for public library three years, Florence N. Bates, Sarah B. Collier, Burgess C. Tower; board of health, Frederick Hinchliffe to fill out Dr. Osgood's unexpired term, and Mr. Fred L. Reed to take Mr. Arren Snow's place. Mr. Snow having moved away. Licenses for no license, 229; no, 238. No license for ending year.

## NORTH COHASSET

The quarterly conference of the M. E. Church was held at the parsonage by Rev. Dr. Cooper, District Superintendent on Monday evening. The several reports on church work were read and discussed and officers elected for the coming year. Secretary and Treasurer Arthur Beale, S. S. Superintendent Mr. William Lothrop; Stewards, Arthur Beale, R. H. Tidale, Charles Hunter, William Lothrop, Mrs. Charles Hunter, Warren Lothrop, Mrs. Warren Lothrop, Mrs. Hattie Foley, Mrs. Carrie T. Richardson, District Steward, Carrie T. Richardson; Lay Delegates to the Conference Laymen's meeting, Carrie T. Richardson, Mrs. Ruth E. Grace.

Rev. Mr. Minerick has a call to a larger field of labor, but would not accept it until the official board had taken action upon it. After addresses by Mr. Tidale and Mr. Arthur Beale it was decided it would not be right to stand in the way of our pastor's progress in a larger field of labor, after he had given nearly three years of successful church work here. So Rev. Dr. Cooper was instructed to accept of the call. Presiding Bishop at the Conference was Rev. Mr. Minerick. A pastor who can fill our pulpit, and be a leader in church work here, which calls for extensive labor, not only in territory, but so many lines, church societies; the Red Cross, Ladies Aid, Knights of King Arthur, Epworth League, and others that a pastor must need be alive in every sense of the word, to do the work, but he can be sure of cooperation from warm-hearted, active corps of workers, men, women and families, old and young, financially, and every way.

A patriotic flag of the present war in four acts, called "The American Flag" was given in a hall at West Corner on the evening of February 28.

The church here which was a wonderful success in view of the fact that money has been such a scarce article this past winter. The hall was packed to the doors with an appreciative audience who have since declared the Boston stage actors "have nothing on our performers" for our simple are perfect. They are all good looking in face and form, even the one humorous character "Imatz Schell" could not hide his nice ways and looks altogether. We cannot speak of one more than another, they were each perfect in their parts and costumes, and the proceeds went part to the Red Cross here and part to our pastor's salary. Most sincerely hope it will be repeated, as it was worthy of being seen by everyone who has a friend in the present war or an ounce of patriotism in their nature.

## "THE AMERICAN FLAG"

A Patriotic Play of the Present War in Four Acts

## CHARACTERS

Bob McMillan, a brave young American, Daniel L. Spring, Kommandant Wolff, of the enemy's forces, George B. Groce, Ignatz Schell, an honest Israelite, Chancy W. Strickland, Judge Oliver, American Consul in France, Paul D. Minnick, Major Marvin, an American officer, Carl Mundy, Karl Steinberg, a German soldier, Howard G. Bates, June Oliver, an American girl in France, Mrs. H. H. Tidale, Dixie McMillan, a little patriot, Red Cross, D. J. Attwood, Rozika, a Hungarian Gypsy, Mrs. C. W. Strickland, American soldiers, German soldiers.

## SYNOPSIS

Act I.—The exterior of Judge Oliver's home in Northern France. The Germans march toward Paris.  
Act II.—Same scene, on the afternoon of the same day. Under the folds of the American flag.  
Act III.—An American camp in France. The heroism of the little Red Cross nurse.  
Act IV.—Same as Act I. Eighteen months later. Bob is captured. The advance of the Americans and the retreat of the Germans.

## NO LAUGHING MATTER

The Hingham Journal makes light of the grouch entertained by the 600 Pumpkin Island boys who were marooned over the week-end on the island recently. Think how many of the fair ladies who expected to see their sailor lads were disappointed. The E. S. Company should have been more patriotic and cut that price in fourths. We agree with the boys.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Samuel Jarvis and family desire to express their thanks and appreciation to all who expressed their sympathy by kind acts and also for the beautiful flowers sent of the time of their recent bereavement.

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The Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls had a chowder supper last week in the chapel at Standish. A large number were present. The pastor of the Standish church preached a most interesting sermon on prohibition.

Ellis Delano spent the week-end with Mr. Flora Dorr and Mrs. Mary Dorr. Mr. Wesley Ewell of Framingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ewell, died very suddenly at the hospital at Framingham Centre, where he had been operated on for appendicitis. Mr. Ewell leaves a wife and little daughter. The burial service was at the home of his father, the burial at Marshfield Hills.

The annual town meeting was held in Ventura Hall March 4. The following officers were elected: Mr. Ralph C. Ewell, selectman, overseer of the poor and assessor, for three years; treasurer, Mr. Herbert L. Macomber; tax collector, Walter Seaverns; school committee, for two years, Abraham Feinburg, Mrs. Marian Ford for one year, Edgar Hitchcock for three years. Edward Ames, for auditor. Mr. Joseph Haggar was moderator for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Porter entertained their children Sunday.

Miss Agnes Ewell will spend a few days with Mrs. Elmore Harlow.

The Sons of Veterans Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Amy Ames.

Mrs. Lyman Ames is ill with a cold. The Whist Club had five tables Monday night. Mr. David Brown carried off first prize for the third time. Mrs. Dill carried off ladies' first prize, Mrs. Grace Waite ladies' booty prize, and Mr. Barney Williamson gentlemen's booty prize.

Mrs. Joseph Mitchell of Sea View presented her husband with a fine son March 4.

Mr. Wm. Damon and family have returned to their home.

Mrs. Turner has gone to Braintree to keep house for Mrs. Arthur Baker.

## Removes Paint Odor.

To remove paint odor from a refrigerator burn a pan of charcoal for all of one day. Swish ice cold water freshly through it that evening, and at night set four or five pans of lead water upon the shelves and shut the doors. The volatile particles arising from the paint cause the odor. When evaporated into the water they cannot rise again.

## Shoots Money Into Bank.

For the thrifty soul with sportsmanlike tendencies a novel savings bank has recently been invented. By a clever arrangement of the bank and a small gun on a metal stand you are able to shoot your money into safe keeping. The bank is concealed by a targetlike arrangement with a slot in the bull's eye. The nickel, dime or quarter is placed in the gun; the trigger is pulled and the coin flies into the bank.

## The Sandwich Man.

The name "sandwich man," as applied to the men who parade the streets between two boards, on which are advertisements, was first given to them by Dickens. Although it would appear that the custom originated in the nineteenth century, the profession was without a name until Dickens conceived the humorous title, which he first employed in his "Sketches by Boz."

## Saving the Eyes.

The eyes were made to use without a doubt. So were the hands and feet, and all can be abused and become sources of pain forever. A lifetime of just ordinary vision, just seeing what goes on about us, is about all we can expect from a pair of normal eyes. Added strain like fine sewing, too much reading and poor light will use them up so much sooner. Wage-earners have to sacrifice many things, including eyes, but for absolute waste of vision there is no excuse.

## Perfect Agriculture.

Liebig, the great agricultural investigator, said: "I shall be happy if I succeed in attracting the attention of men of science to subjects which so well merit to engage their talents and energies. Perfect agriculture is the foundation of trade and industry; it is the foundation of the riches of states. But a rational system of agriculture cannot be formed without the application of scientific principles to soils, crops, actions of manures and nutrition."

## Book Proves a Life-Saver.

Mark Twain's "The Innocents Abroad" once saved a life—according to the word of a grateful husband which Twain relates in one of his letters appearing in Harper's Magazine. He said "this wife owed her life to me; hurt in the Chicago fire, and lay menaced with death a long time, but 'The Innocents Abroad' kept her mind in a cheerful attitude, and so, with the doctor's help for the body, she pulled through." In the same letter Twain says that Col. Fred Grant and General Sherman told him they used "The Innocents Abroad" as their guide-book when they were on their travels.

## THESPIAN TOPICS

### HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

"Hamilton," in which George Arliss enters upon his third week at the Hollis Street Theatre, next Monday, is a play, says the Boston Transcript, out of American history when Philadelphia was capital of the United States and Washington President, with Hamilton for chief figure and room for Jefferson, Monroe, Giles at Virginia and other political worthies of the time. It discloses Hamilton as masterly and upright financier, astute party-leader, loyal friend, keen-witted enemy, devoted husband and victim of a passing intrigue with a woman in which he prefers public and domestic humiliation to stain upon official and political integrity. The piece yields novel interest, for the theatre, of time, place, personages and narrative; pictures vividly and plausibly; moves variously, succinctly, dramatically. Mr. Arliss acts Hamilton not only with his usual accurate sense and adroit means of characterization, but with unusual play of ardent feeling and fervent expression. The rare quality, the fine, keen temper of Hamilton as man and statesman in private and public relations, spring believably, impressively from the actor. His company maintain illusion capably.

The matinee Wednesday and Saturday performances are scheduled for 2 o'clock, and the curtain rises each evening at 7:45, in compliance with the city regulations.

JACK NORWORTH'S CHUMMY MUSICAL REVUE, "ODDS AND ENDS OF 1917," AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE, BOSTON, NEXT WEEK.

The appearance here of Jack Norworth's Chummy Musical Revue, "Odds and Ends of 1917," at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, next week, beginning Monday, March 11th, constitutes one of the most interesting and important events of the current theatrical season.

If report speaks truly, originality permeates this unique entertainment from the rise to the final fall of the curtain. "Odds and Ends" is not merely a series of parodies of current theatrical successes but rather a satirical travesty of the events of the day. Moreover, the company which interprets it is one of unusual strength, containing as it does, not only one but three stars, the ex-cruciating Harry Watson, Jr., for many years chief fun maker of Ziegfeld's "Follies"; Lillian Lorraine, whose beauty and cleverness have gained for her a place in the very front rank of American artists; and Jack Norworth, whose quiet style and faultless enunciation have made him the favorite of two continents.

The book and lyrics, which are comprised in two acts and sixteen scenes, are from the pen of Blide Dudley, a well-known New York journalist, and Jack Norworth, while music has been specially composed by Mr. James A. Byrnes, who will conduct the orchestra during the visit here.

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The Parish is cared for by the Reverend Professors of St. John's Ecclesiastical Seminary.

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Saratoga Ave. and Lewis St. Weymouth, Sunday Masses, 9 o'clock every Sunday of the year.

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6:45, Y. P. S. C. E.  
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Wednesday.  
7:30, Church meeting for prayer and conference. Communion of the Lord's Supper observed on the first Sunday of alternate months beginning in January. Strangers are cordially welcome to all our services.

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Sunday services—10, Sunday school; 11, preaching; 3, Junior League; 6:45 Epworth League; 7:30, preaching.

Wednesday at 8, Star of Light. Friday at 7:30, prayer meeting. Saturday at 7:30, Knights of King Arthur.

Hull Methodist Episcopal Church, Spring St., Rev. Frank Kingdon, Pastor.  
Morning service, 10:45; Sunday School at 12; Evening Service, 7:00 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY OF MARSHFIELD.  
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"Yes," admitted old Bopus Rasp. "I voted for him a good many years ago. Also I once applied my youthful tongue to an ice-cold sledge hammer. Likewise I once paid tuition to a correspondence school of growing tall by mail and thereby becoming irresistible to the ladies. But it won't do you any good to produce that flat package which I observe outlined through your coat and which I suspect is a simple volume of Great Flights of Oratory by American Batherskites, for while I own up to having been a fool in my time it infuriates me to be called, even by implication, a hopeless durn fool."—Kansas City Star.

**Ready.** Bobby—I would kiss you if I thought no one would see me. Flissy—Shall I close my eyes?

**Ah, Me!** He—Each hour I spend with you is like a pearl to me. She—Aw, quit stringing me.—Jester.

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Many People Who Buy Cars Are Ignorant of This Subject.

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When motor cars were rare, tire mileage costs made little difference. But now, when men are buying cars as they would a suit of clothes or a pair of shoes—when our annual car bill is more than \$1,000,000,000, and for tire about \$333,000,000—the economy is a matter of great concern.

About 4,000,000 cars are now registered in this country, wearing 16,000,000 tires. Adding only one mile for each tire to the enormous mileage piled up each day by these cars would save a handsome fortune for the motorists of the country.

**Much Mileage Lost.** A. E. Hertz, manager of a big tire and rubber concern, in commenting on the various kinds of abuse innocently inflicted upon motor tires, preventing them from attaining their allotted three score and ten, declares that much of this mileage is lost through the fabric breaks caused by hitting stones imbedded in the road.

"So many people are now buying cars who know comparatively little about cars or tires that it is not surprising that merciless abuse is heaped upon them," he says. "Hardly one motorist in 100 appreciates the terrific strain placed on tires when traveling at high speed over ordinary roads. Your tires may withstand a shock equal to ten tons weight while running at a speed of 25 miles an hour over country roads, and a little later you have a blowout while running over a perfectly smooth street."

**Cause of Blowout.** "This is what happened. The terrific impact of the tire and the stone imbedded in the road did not visibly affect the exterior of the tire. Had you looked it over you could not have found a mark. But on the inside of the tire a break in the tire fabric was started when the blow strained it beyond its limit of stretching strength. Perhaps only one layer of fabric was injured. The other layers soon followed suit and the blowout resulted. "It is common practice for car owners to bump front wheels against the curbstone when parking their cars, especially if the brakes do not hold properly. Many drivers make no pretense of slowing up for street car tracks or bridge approaches. There is much fraternizing with ruts and stones in the road. All these make for fabric breaks, which rob the tire of many miles that were built into it at the factory."

### TAKE ALL CORNERS SLOWLY

Autoist Should Round Turns Slowly and With Caution—Clutch Should Be Released.

One reason for side slipping may be found in the fact that some drivers take corners at a fast rate of speed. Allowing that the pavement is slippery, the autoist should round turns slowly and with caution. The clutch should be released if there is a tendency for the car to slip.

When this takes place, very frequently the rear tires will lose their lateral grip on the road surface. Motorists should never steer a machine sharply from a curb when the surface is wet.

The reason for this is simple. In that the grip of the wheels on the road is insufficient to overcome the centrifugal effect, and the result is the rear of the car is forced toward the curb. Sometimes a sudden speeding up of the motor will overcome the tendency to skid.

### CARE FOR STORAGE BATTERY

During Winter Season It Should Be Kept Fully Charged to Stand Low Temperature.

The storage battery should be kept fully charged during the winter, according to E. V. Collins, instructor in steam and gas engineering in the agricultural college.

"The charged battery," said Mr. Collins, "will stand very low temperatures while a discharged battery will freeze at 20 degrees above zero. Freezing will burst jars, and as a result the battery must be rebuilt."

"In cold weather the starting battery is especially likely to become discharged. The engine is difficult to crank because the oil is cold. It must also be cranked longer each time it is started because the gasoline does not vaporize readily in cold weather. Long trips are few and the charging periods are shorter. The lights which are needed earlier in the evening help in discharging the battery."

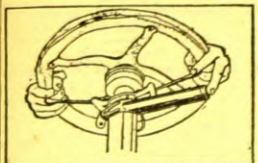
"The battery should be tested with a hydrometer at intervals of two weeks or less. If it is found to be discharged, it should be charged as soon as possible either by driving the car or from an outside source."

"The conditions under which cars operate vary, and there are so many starting systems, that no set rules can be given for the care of the storage battery. If the starter turns the engine with difficulty, the motor should be cranked by hand when starting on a cold morning. The engine may be made to start more easily by priming it through the priming cups or by pulling the choke when it is stopped. The lights should be turned on only when necessary and in many cases the dimmers may be used to save the current."

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the horn circuit is at the outer end of the cylinder, and the driver can reach it with one finger of his left hand without removing that hand from the wheel. The device can be used with success on most makes of cars.

### RUINOUS ABUSE OF BATTERY

Most Common Fault Is in Letting It Go Dry—Good Plan to Have Generator Tested.

The most common and ruinous abuse of the battery is to let it go dry. The battery loses water even under normal conditions, partly through slow evaporation, but chiefly through decomposition into its constituent gases, oxygen and hydrogen, by excessive charging. If your battery demands water filling more frequently than it should, or if the battery links heat to a temperature warmer than that of the hand, have your generator inspected and tested and the charging rate reduced.

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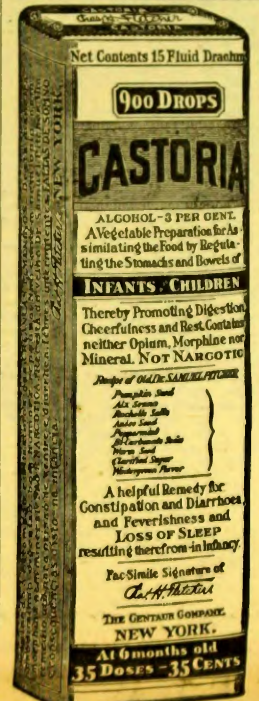
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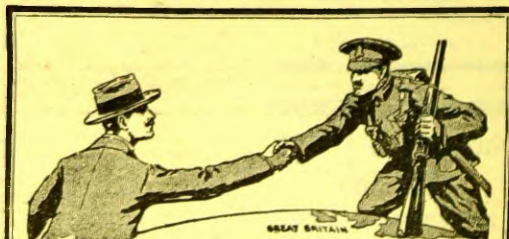
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## The Girl on the Cover

By VINCENT G. PERRY

Herbert Nichol waited nervously at the telephone. Would she never answer? The operator was not ringing nearly loud enough. If there was no one else in the house and Agnes was in her own room, she could not possibly hear it. Ah! She had answered it at last!

"Hello, dear!" His tone was eager. "How do you do?" The answer was stiff, but in his eagerness he did not notice it.

"Have you seen your favorite magazine for this month, Agnes?" he asked in the same eager tone.

"Yes, I have, Mr. Nichol, and I was never so insulted in my life. When I sat for you to paint my portrait I thought the painting was for yourself, not for a magazine cover. I thought your interest in me was a friendly one, not a commercial one. I am sending back your ring today. Good-by, Mr. Nichol. I was just going out." He heard the receiver go down.

It was some time before Herbert could realize what it all meant. He had thought she would be delighted to see her picture on a magazine cover, or he would not have submitted it. How was he to know that she would think it distasteful? Surely, if she was as anxious as she was to go into moving pictures, a magazine illustration of herself could not be so terrible.

It was the best portrait he had ever painted, and to have one of the leading magazines use it for a cover—his name would be worth something and he would never again have to wonder where the next meal was coming from. It was for her he had persevered with his art, and swallowed discouragement more often than square meals. How was she to know that? He had never told her he was so poor, and she thought him more successful



"That Will Settle Her."

than he was. She had money, more than was good for her, and could not know what it was to be poor.

He would never paint another picture, he resolved. He could never get the inspiration again, after this. In every mark of the brush he would see something to remind him of her, and every face he painted would radiate her loveliness. No, he could never paint again. He would have to go to work—real work, that would take his mind off the girl he had wronged. Yes, he had wronged her, he could see that the more he thought it over. A girl so well known in society to be classed as an artist's model! He should have thought of that before.

So Herbert put aside his brushes and looked for work. He had never done manual labor in his life, and when he secured a position in the shipping room of a large manufacturing concern he found it harder than he had expected. He began to like the work, but at times he felt almost unbearably restless. The men about him interested him. They seemed to get much more enjoyment out of life than he had ever got, and he wondered how it was.

The head shipper seemed more thoughtful than the rest. Herbert asked him one day why it was the men seemed so happy and contented. The shipper scratched his head, and after thinking it over replied: "I do not know, Herh, unless it's because they fit in here. A man's made for something, and unless he finds that something he'll never be satisfied. You, for instance, ain't cut out to be doing this work, and no matter how long you stay at it you ain't going to like it or feel satisfied. You'll be restless until you strike the other thing you're made for, though perhaps now you don't just know what it is."

"I think I do know what it is," Herbert replied, as he felt in his pocket for a crumpled letter that was nearly two months old. It was an offer of a steady position in the art department of the magazine that had used his portrait of Agnes. He had received it in the same mail with the returned engagement ring and had never answered it.

When he went the next day to the magazine he found that the position had been filled, but when he explained who he was room was made for him. "We can't let you go," the manager said. "Your last work received more commendation than any other cover we ever used. We have been trying ever since to get in touch with you. We can use all the covers you can turn out."

Herbert was not as delighted over the praise of his portrait as the manager had expected. He said, "Thank you very much, but he did not seem to mean it."

"By the way, do you mind telling us who the model for that picture was?" the manager said, as Herbert was leaving. "We have had a number of inquiries. I can get her steady work at the highest rate."

"I cannot tell you her name," Herbert replied, and the manager noticed the sad look that came over his face. "She is not a professional model, and would never pose for me or anyone else again."

The months that followed found Herbert very busy. The wound in his heart healed much more quickly than he had expected, and the quality of his work showed that he was wrong when he thought inspiration had fled with Agnes' love. There were plenty of other beautiful girls in the world, he found, and most of them were not ashamed to have their pictures appear on magazine covers. His work did not go unheeded by the public. Every day he was forced to decline invitations to paint famous society women or equally famous actresses. There were plenty of professional models to choose from, without running the chance of offending outsiders by using their portraits "commercially," he decided.

One moving picture actress, Jean Fener, was particularly anxious to have her portrait painted by him, and on an average of once a week he received a letter from her company's press agent asking to have him paint her. He had sent a curt note stating that he did not do outside work, but as the letters kept coming they interested him. He would see if he could not end her persistence, he concluded, and wrote the press agent and said:

"Although I have never had the pleasure of seeing Miss Fener, I like her persistence. If she can prove to me that she is as beautiful as any model I have ever painted, I will be pleased to do her portrait without charge."

"That will settle her," Herbert laughed, as he showed one of his fellow artists the letter. "My models are all well-known beauties, and if she is as beautiful as any one of them she will not be an obscure movie actress."

The next evening, while he was reading in his library, his telephone rang. He answered it.

"This is Jennette Fener speaking." The voice sounded strangely familiar to him. "I have taken your offer, and am going to prove to you I am more beautiful than any of your models, save your first one, Agnes Fuller. Will you count her out?"

"How do you know Agnes Fuller was my first model?" he gasped.

"Don't you know my voice, Herbert?"

"Agnes!" he said eagerly. He was sure it was her voice, and the little silver laugh at the other end of the line made him doubly sure.

"Yes, Herbert, Agnes, I have been trying to see you for so long, but you wouldn't see me. I am Jennette Fener, the movie actress, and I signed a contract today that will make me a star. It is all through your magazine cover of me, too. You secured me the chance I have always longed for, and I love you for it. I am coming up tonight to take back all those nasty things I said over the telephone to you that night. Will you be in, Herbert?"

"I will always be in to you, Agnes, you know that," he answered.

He heard the silver laugh again and the receiver hang up. It reminded him of their last talk, but it was so different now.

For half an hour Herbert rummaged through his desk in search of something. He heard the bell ring and heard the servant answer the door just as he found it.

"Thank goodness, the ring!" he exclaimed. Then he hurriedly took it from his pocket, smoothed his hair before a mirror, and went to meet Agnes.

#### Story of a Big Nose.

A certain Missouri preacher had become quite sensitive to any reference made to his unusually large nose.

On being taken home to dinner one day with his friend, the judge, the host went immediately into the kitchen and reminded his wife that she must caution the children about making any remarks about their guest's nose or gazing at him intently.

The mother, a sympathetic and tender-hearted soul, instructed the children carefully. When they were seated at dinner, and a blessing said, the mother asked solemnly as she poured the coffee, "Brother So and So, do you take sugar with your nose?"—Kansas City Star.

#### Yes, Why Not?

Just as Bill Rikes, professional crackman, was creeping from the dining room window of our puzzle editor's private house, the owner grasped his ankle.

"Kamerad!" squeaked Rikes. "I only desire to put a question to you," said the puzzle editor, who was suffering from insomnia. "What I want to know is this: If a thief is busily engaged plying his trade up in our attic, could he be truthfully said to be above doing wrong actions?"

## Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdenburg, Wis., says:

"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

### How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

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### Life Still Has Its Joys.

If you are troubled with the belief that war has taken all the joy out of life, you should have been on hand when the playful wind took the fat man's hat and he made a zig-zag race for it along the street car tracks, and noticed what a lot of people stopped to laugh their eyes full of tears at the spectacle.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

### KIDNEY TROUBLE NOT EASILY RECOGNIZED

Applicants for Insurance Often  
Rejected

An examining physician for one of the prominent life insurance companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

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#### Protested Proverb.

"Half the world does not know how the other half lives"—this we think is a large overestimate of the number of people who mind their own business.—Boston Transcript.

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#### Exact Spot.

"Did the prisoner strike the witness on the heat of passion?"  
"No sir; he struck him in the jaw."

## Win the War by Preparing the Land Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada

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TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

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To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

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Always Before Him.  
"He is a great stickler for procedure, isn't he?"  
"I should say so! Why, even the furniture covers in his house are all bound with red tape."

### RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbé Compound, and 1/4 oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbé Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

#### Lucky Meeting.

She—Tee, hee; it seems strange that we never met before.  
He—Yes, accidents will happen.

#### Not Certain.

"My dear, do you love me still?"  
"How can I tell? I've never yet seen you that way."

A Stickler.  
Banker Henry P. Davidson said at an artists' banquet:

"Gentlemen, I once went in for painting myself. I enameled a bathtub. "My friends sought to discourage me in my artistic aims. They said, 'It's no use going in for painting unless you stick to your work.'"  
"Gentlemen, I did so."

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1/2 cup corn meal	2 tablespoons sugar
1 1/2 cups flour	No egg
1 1/2 teaspoons salt	1 cup milk
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	2 tablespoons shortening

Sift dry ingredients together into bowl; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes. Same batter may be baked as corn bread in greased shallow pan.

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E. LOUISE FOX, Adm.,  
(Address) Elm Street, Cohasset, Mass.  
February 14, 1918.  
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have won promotions. Their head waiter, Mr. Arthur J. MacDonald, now an all-year resident of the bench, and occupying the St. Rita cottage on Park Ave., contributed (I think) the largest number of boys from his dept., as all